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Group Art Unit: 2851

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For : CAMERA SYSTEM HAVING A COMMUNICATION SYSTEM BETWEEN A CAMERA BODY AND A PHOTOGRAPHING LENS

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 in the above-captioned application.

☐ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

☐ A Request for Extension of Time.

☒ No Additional Fee.

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of October 1, 2003, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on January 2, 2004 (January 1, 2004 being a Federal holiday), Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejection set forth in the above-mentioned Official Action in view of the herein contained amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this Response.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4 of this Response.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this Response.